S-Sgt. Revis Robertson Writes From le Shima



S/SGT. REVIS ROBERTSON

At last war secrets can be told, and who is better qualified to relate a good account than S/Sgt. Revis Robertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Robertson, farmers and ranchers in Fisher County, a few miles west of could not go farther. It has been Hamlin. Sgt. Revis is their only child and during the long months that he has been in the Pacific, sometimes several weeks would pass and not a word was heard from their son. But now it is different, for when you scale the maps, you will find that this young farmer - rancher - accountantcowboy has traveled over a lot of water and hundreds of miles of swampy lands. Now he writes his Dad and Mother freely from that famous island "Ie Shima" (which should be re-named "Ernie Pyle") far over on the Jap side of the Pacific, off Okinawa a short distance. Here is a part of what he says:

"Dear Mamae and Dad, If you will look on your map in the right place, you will find a little place by the name of Ie Shima. Well, that is great deal of history has been made in this vicinity the past few months.

"We have a right pretty view from here. Our tent is on a coral cliff, some one hundred feet high, I guess, overlooking the ocean. During the day, the water below is a deep blue and very calm and peaceful. Directly below are large coral rocks and lots of pretty sea-shells. I haven't been down to investigate yet, as I have been busy setting up the section, but think I will in a day or so. Of course if I were a writer of description, I could draw you a very pretty picture, but that not being the case, you will have to use a great deal of your imagination. We have rather long days. The sun was shining this morning at 5 and it is now 7 P. M. and the sun is still shining.

"Well, I had the opportunity and pleasure to see the Jap peace delegation on its way to Manila. They came in here, landed, and continued on their journey. There were two planes, Jap of course, painted white with large green crosses painted on them. I happened to be close up, so I got a real good look at them. I'm sending you a couple of pictures of the Jap delegation as it appeared here on Ie Shima. These are very good pictures as I saw these same scenes first-hand.

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DR. S. K. KIRK

Graduate

Veterinarian

805 Wells Phone 121 P. O. BOX 25 Stamford, Texas

Pioneer Hotel Manager, Mrs. S. K. Dillard, Died

Death came to Mrs. S. K. Dillard at the Stamford Sanitarium, Friday, tin offered his resignation as pastor Sept. 21, at 5:12 P. M., following a of the First Baptist Church of Hamshort illness. However, her health lin to accept a call to the Ballinger had been failing rapidly for the past First Baptist Church. His last Sun-

Hamlin, very long, Mrs. Dillard was and evening services. and her late husband, but before of a new pastor. they moved from near Roby, early in this century, the two-story house Services Announced was being used for many purposes ...a kind of town-meeting hall, sometimes the upper part as a school room or a church place, but to us who have been in Hamlin 30 and more years, it was the Dillard Hotel. We say these things because Mrs. Dillard would like for us to say them. She was a gentle business woman, having the old Southern charm and poise through the years, to the days when her frail body Dillard's street, one block north, for over 30 years, and most days during this time we saw her with the ever - pleasant bearing, taking life earnestly and seriously. So it will hardly seem Hamlin without her.

Mrs. Dillard was born near Luling, Texas, 75 years ago. She and her family came to Fisher County about 1900, and in a few years, moved-over to the new town of Hamlin. Later, they purchased the building that has so long been their home.

Her husband passed away in 1920, and the surviving children are: Mrs. Pearl Rudder of Marysville, Calif.; Mrs. John L. Sharp and Mrs. Charwhere I happen to be at the present son, Ross Dillard of Hamlin. Seven funeral. A sailor grandson, Billy see Mack get started home. So this Mack F. Sellers is a native of the children survive. Mrs. Rudder could veston. not come for the funeral. Two bro- Funeral services were held Sun-Logan and a niece, Miss Florence Cemetery.

Rev. B. J. Martin Resign Baptist Pastorate

Three weeks ago, Rev. B. J. Marday in Hamlin, as pastor, will be this To most people who ever lived in Sunday, Sept. 30, at the morning

always thought of as "The Pioneer | A pulpit committee composed of Hotel Woman." Her kindly face and W. C. Russell, A. Spencer, Delma gentle voice will long be remember- Shelburne, Johnnie Hines, Mrs. Tom ed. Most Hamlin people think of the Routh, and Mrs. Henry Albritton Dillard Hotel as being built by her will announce services till the call

For Fairview Church

The Rev. Glenn Wilson of Abilene will go before the Fairview Church Sunday, Sept. 30, in view of a call. All members are urged to attend. Visitors are always welcomed.

-PULPIT COMMITTEE.

Preaching at Plasterco

the privilege of the writer to operate lene will preach at the Baptist try. This picture shows how happy Mack's, and that's why, maybe, he the Herald on the same side of Mrs. Church at Plasterco this Sunday, these boys were when, after long is so sympathetic with his "little to attend.

-0-0-HAMLIN STUDENT AT ACC

One of the 326 members of the largest Freshman class ever to enroll in Abilene Christian College, Abilene, Texas, for the 1945-46 session is Bruce Proctor, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Proctor of Hamlin. Bruce was graduated from Paducah High School in 1945.

-0-0-HERALD Want Ads Get Results.

lie Quarrels, of San Angelo; and a Williams of Luling, came for the der Cecil would like to carry on and reside with her parents.

thers, Fayett and Bill Williams, and day afternoon at the First Methodgan, and Mrs. Jim Tiller, survive. the services, and the Barrow Com-

SELLERS BROTHERS STILL SAILING PACIFIC

HIGHLANDS AND

SAND STORMS

QUEER

BACKGROUND

TO MAKE GOOD SAILORS



Cecil Sellers, AM 1/c - Mack Sellers, M 2/c

about the great struggle that our na- a transport, killing 150 men. Antion has been in the past few years other plane fell in the water up is how well our old "highlanders, against Mack's ship and exploded, sand-storm-reared" boys, up where injuring only two men...he says, water is so scarce...how they have "We were just lucky." He also taken to the sea!

Here are the Sellers brothers-Cecil, AM 1/c, and Mack F., M 2/c, all the service, had lost but two good examples of what a couple of men, and they by accident. "dry-landers" can do when they are The Rev. A. H. Williams of Abi- called to the defense of their coun- ences have not been as exciting as Sept. 30, at 11:00 A. M. and 8:30 months of separation, they finally brother." Cecil was born in Wood at night. You are cordially invited met somewhere in the wide and County, Texas, Oct. 15, 1920, came dangerous Pacific. The elder broth- to Hamlin community and graduater seems to be shielding his little (?) ed from Hamlin High in 1939. Soon brother from harm, while Mack is after that he went to the Lockheed grinning with satisfaction, and think- Plant in California and helped build ing, "Shucks, I don't need a good Navy planes. On Dec. 25, 1941, he arm over me now, but there was a was married to a Hamlin girl, Miss time when I would have welcomed Clara Louise Shelburne, daughter of maybe that's what he was thinking. of Rankin, Texas. He entered the Well, why not the older brother Navy and trained at San Diego and have a serious look? He sees a broth- was later assigned to a Navy plane er who has served 22 months in all factory in Florida as an instructor, kinds of eminent dangers, long making up to now a period of about hours of watch, no sleep, and a mil- three years in the Navy. His wife lion sacrifices of comforts. No won- and their little son, Cecil Lee Jr.,

tle be known of what he had been Ed Williams, a half brother, of Lu- ist Church, of which she had been a experiencing. He has seen Jap sui- Schoemann Store, and later by Maling; also three sisters of Luling, member since coming to Hamlin. The cide divers come swooping down on houf's Dept. Store. On March 10, fleecy stuff in before it damages— Mrs. Jeff Connally, Mrs. Maggie Lo- pastor, Rev. E. L. Yeats, conducted the ship. At one time three Jap 1943, he donned the Navy uniform if they can convince the "Commitplanes made a dash at them and and trained at San Diego. Although tee"... Well, anything that will keep Ed Williams, Mrs. Connally, Mrs. pany placed the body to rest in East other near ships. (Mack is on a re- Mack has been in the Navy less time things evened up—just so it is on a pair ship.) In the attack, about 50

One of the remarkable things men were killed, and one plane hit knows what it means to be close up when a mine goes off...his ship, in

Up to this time, Cecil's experiloving brother's good arm"... Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Shelburne, now

time. It is a very small island but a grand-bildren and 11 great grand-bildren and 11 great grand-bildren and 11 great grand-bildren and 12 grand-bildren and 12 grand-bildren and 13 great grand-bildren and 14 great grand-bildren and 15 grand-bildren and 16 grand-bildren and 16 grand-bildren and 17 great grand-bildren and 18 grand-bildren and 19 grand-bildren and 1 ers felt and thought when they met. 1924, and graduated from Hamlin \$1.35." (certain fellows in every In a recent letter, Mack let a lit- High School in 1942. After that he community who have enough influthan his "old brother," he probably has more points to his credit.

> mother, "If Mack gets to come home, give him all the fresh milk he can drink. I haven't had any Pipers - Hornets Play milk since I left the States, but that is nothing. This son of yours has been through plenty and there are thousands like him. They will be coming home one of these days, and if they go home from here they will be men, and have a mind of their own. Mack left home a child, but he is coming back a man."...so on and on the story might go, and it will, when those boys get home, and can rest and sleep, and eat and drink, and feel the touch of loved ones again...yes, thousands like these two brothers, will be welcomed back in home circles.

-0-0for El Paso to join her husband, where they will make their home. the Hornets. Mr. Thurman, who recently received

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Caldwell of visit Mr. and Mrs. Ike Dixson.

El Paso.

Hints Only This Week

Monday morning the Hamlin country had a pretty good hint of rain; in fact, it looked for a while that it was more than a hint...but before night, it was all a blow and bluff... that is very true on a dozen lines this week. Just hints of the real thing ... and that is our cue ... hints are all that time and space will allow for the following: "The War is over" or is it?...

"The Strikes Are On" (as we ex-

pected). Headline-"52 Hours Pay For 40 Hours Work" . . . "Ceiling On Pulling, Snapping, and Picking Cotton" (Can this be enforced? Who will abide by it? What if cotton gatherers strike?) Figure that out if you can ... After all, the fellow who works for the other fellow or corporation is the fortunate person ... he can quit after putting in his hours, while the owner must forget hours, vacations, bonuses ... nobody expects an employed person to work over hours, so he quits for the day ... maybe ... strikes! That's OK. Let 'em strike; that's their privilege ... the war is over and our boys do not need their stuff now, so let 'em strike, who cares? Strikes have always come on the heels of war ... Also have depressions, unemployment and hunger ... Another headline: "Senate Passes Bill To Pay War Workers \$200.00 Travel Back Home Expenses," or to other jobs" . . add that up and see if it makes sense ... Another headline: "Full Employment For All' ... and there it goes again...maybe we all are going to work for the other fellow, but what fellow? And on and on we may ramble. for there are subjects that some guys try to add up that do not make sense till the minds of the nation are all in a whirl. The war is over, but really it looks as if politice is starting another...Down here in this area of West Texas, most people thought \$1.25 was enough to pay for cotton pulling, but up there was employed as a clerk in the ence, can pay up to \$1.35, \$1.55, or enough to get their pretty, white common sense basis. One more hint this week: WE believe the quicker It was last July 19 that the boys the government quits telling us how slept in adjoining bunks. Cecil says many hours we can work, or what he got a letter from Mack, saying we shall pay for same, and let the he would come over if he could, and nation be really free once more, the then he walked in. He wrote his better. Soon, maybe there will not be any employers-just workers.

-0-0-Scoreless Tie Here

The Hamlin Pied Pipers and the Asperment Hornets played a 0-0 tie on Piper Field Friday night, Sept 21. However, statistics favored the Pip-

Hamlin had two touchdowns called back, both voided by clipping penalties. One was a 70-yard run by Joe Weir on a pass interception. The other was a 60-yard punt returned by Brad Rowland.

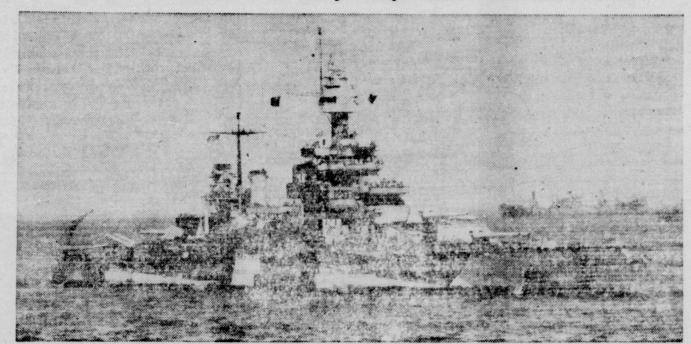
Hamlin made nine first downs to two for Asperment and netted 110 yards rushing to 10 for the Hornets. Outstanding for the Pipers were Mrs. Leon Thurman left Sunday Bobby Crowley, Weir and Rowland.

Eddie Springer was top player for

The Pipers travel to Haskell this his discharge from the Army, will Friday night, Sept. 28, to meet the have charge of the AAA office in Indians in the first conference tilt of the season.

It seems that nothing can keep a Lockney were here Wednesday to first-class-man down, or lift a low-

USS COLORADO In Tokyo Bay With American Forces



surrender, and to support the occu- this ship to support in the occupa- cupation official. pation of the Tokyo area. The COL-ORADO was one of the first Allied graph.)

Mrs. John F. Green, Jr. and little son, Johnny, of Sanderson, arrived this week to visit Lt. Green's parents. Lt. Green is serving with the Occupational Army in Germany.

tion of Japan. gami Bay, 18 miles from Tokyo, to lesser operations for four years.

D. F. Griffin, 25, coxswain, US support the first landings of airwas among those warships of the NR, whose wife lives in Palo Alto, borne troops at Atsugi airfield. That United States Navy which steamed Calif., and whose mother, Mrs. D. F. operation was in preparation for "Boy! You should have seen the into Tokyo Bay to be present at the Griffin, Sr., lives in Hamlin, Texas, the arrival of General of the Army historic signing of the Japanese steamed into Tokyo Bay aboard Douglas MacArthur to make the oc-

The COLORADO poured thous-The COLORADO, whose crew had ands of tons of hot steel into Jap ships to sail into the Japanese home taken her through ten invasion op- shore installations in the preinvawaters of Sagami Bay to support erations to help bring the final calsion bombardments that gave Althe initial landings of airborne pitulation of Japan, had been near lied forces bastions on Japan's outtroops at Atsugi airfield, 18 miles Tokyo before. She sailed with Amer- er rim. She helped at Tarawa, the from Tokyo. (Official Navy Photo- ican and British warships into Sa- Philippines, Okinawa, and in other

Hamlin Business Hours To Change October 1

Due to the fact that War Time will cease on Sunday, Sept. 30, it Commerce that the Secretary interview business establishments as to opening and closing hours. It has been suggested and agreed upon by a representative group that opening and closing hours will be from 8:30 A. M. to 6:00 P. M., beginning Monday, October 1. 0-0-

Mrs. Harold D. Bolding and little son, John Harold, left Saturday to join her husband at Dallas to go to privilege of asking questions relatheir home in Columbia, La. She was tive to this subject, which will be accompanied to Dallas by her par- answered from the pulpit. ents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Eakin.

Foursquare Gospel Revival Meeting

The revival meeting with Essie J. Asbell, the "Texas Cowgirl Evangewas suggested to the Chamber of list," is gaining in interest, meeting each evening at 8:00 P. M. including Saturday.

> Beginning Monday night, Oct. 1, Rev. Louis Asbell, nationally known traveler, lecturer, and Bible teacher, will take up the subject: "Spiritualism-the So-Called Communicating With the Dead."

At these services, the members of the congregation will be given the

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S-Sgt Robertson—

number of our planes up in the air as escorts. I imagine the Japs got somewhat of a surprise and probably decided they had surrendered in good time when they saw, first-hand, the might of American air power. Even at that, they saw only a part of it.

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"I am sure there were a great number of newspaper articles on Ernie Pyle's death. I have seen the spot where he was killed by a Jap sniper; also his grave where there has been erected a beautiful monument in his honor. There is a small but rugged hill or mountain not far from where I am sitting now, where that Jap sniper, as well as several thousand others, went to meet their

"I have had quite a few hours in the air-do not lack many having something like 100 hours. I have flown all the way from Port Morsby, N. G., to Ie Shima, besides the furlough trip to McKay, Australia. I'll give you some of the places: Brisbane, Australia, where I landed Dec. 5, 1943 (from the States); Port Morsby, Gusap, Tadji, Hollandia, Finsch Hafen-all in New Guinea. Then to Biak, N. E. I., and on to the Philippines. Landed at Taclobau (Leyte), PI, just about nine days Highway Got Name after it was invaded; then went to Mendoro and from there to Ie Shima. Each of these places I can well remember, especially Tadji, N. G., and Taclobau, Leyte, PI.

"Dad, you said something about a jeep in one of your letters. Personally, I think it would be ideal for farm or ranch. I have been driving one ever since I've been overseas, and 'believe me,' it has really seen some rough times, too. All kinds of weather, poor roads and sometimes no roads at all, all kinds of mud and water, pulling trailors-well, just about everything, and it's still going develop. The only way I've ever with his name-and "Macadamized" stuck this one was high center where was the result. all the wheels but one were off the ground. You should have seen some struction in a recent issue of "The of the roads in N. G. So when the Library Chronicle," published by the roads are at their worst there, you University. could go to, town."

construction at Orange, Texas, a \$20,000,000 Nylon plant.

-0-0-Office supplies at The HERALD. the week.

Officer Candidate and Mrs. Clyde LaMotte are parents of a daughter, Linda, born Friday September 21, in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. Mrs. LaMotte and little son, Larry, have been making their home here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Reynolds, while her husband is attending Officers' School in Ft. Benning, Ga. At present, La-Motte is spending a leave here with his wife and children.

PARACHUTE SCHOOL, Ft. Benning, Ga .- Pvt. L. B. Petty, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Petty of Hamlin, Texas, has won the right to wear the "Boots and Wings" of the United States Army Paratroops. He has completed four weeks of jump training during which time he made five jumps, the last a tactical jump at night involving a combat problem on landing.

G. W. Turner, Jr., Coxswain, and his wife arrived last Friday afternoon from Treasure Island, Calif., to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grogan Turner, till Oct. 9, and then to the Dallas recruiting office. G. W. has completed the first half of his go by, and some day he will be back ricultural Department. in Hamlin for good.

From A Scotsman

AUSTIN .- "Macadamized" - the word used to describe highways of broken stone-came from a Scot, John Loudon McAdams, a University of Texas engineer says.

Back in 1816, says John A. Focht, professor of highway engineerring, John Loudon McAdams worked out problems of drainage and safety, and methods of construction for roadways.

Mr. Focht describes highway con-

Mrs. Everett Townley left Sunday The Dupont Company has under for St. Louis where she will visit the markets and buy merchandise for the D. & H. Dept. Store in Hamlin. She will return the latter part of

About Soldiers--Sailors

Cpl. Guy W. Greenway writes to est idea what they aim to do with the Army Air Corps Sept. 15. me now. I am still attached to the B-29's and am still at work. Best wishes to all."

Release stating that T/Sgt. Prentice 14 months. Wilson has four more Holland is now stationed near Karls- years to give to the Navy, and at ruhe, Germany-just one of many this time he wears two battle stars young West Texans scattered over and other ribbons that show he has the world, still doing army duty. S&S

This is about the last time former Sgt. Leon Thurman will make the "soldier" column. Leon has been serving in the Hamlin Post Office the past few months, since his discharge, but last Sunday he and his wife left for El Paso where Leon takes a poregular enlistment, and so the years sition in the AAA office of the Ag-

Sgt. Foster Zimmerman, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zimmerman, of AAF Personnel Distribution Com-Portales, New Mex., was liberated mand. from a Jap prison camp Sept. 10. Foster is a nephew of J. H. Foster, Hamlin City Marshal. He was captured at Bataan and his family had heard from him twice. He entered the Army in the first draft from New Mexico. Up till Monday he had not communicated directly with any of his people.

S&S

Captain J. W. Gravely and wife and baby are guests this week of his brother-in-law, Craig Elmore and McAdams hired men and their en- family. Capt. Graveley came up on tire families to break rock on a Tuesday from McCloskey General strong. You have no idea how much piece-work basis. Roads built in such Hospital. He has been back from Mrs. Cecil Brown. Mr. Stringer has power a little thing like that can a manner gradually were associated Europe since May 10. He served in recently returned from 18 months the 36th Division and is recovering duty in the Pacfic with the Navy. from many broken bones-both legs and arms broken-and other injuries received when a German shell hit three brothers in the service, writes a building one night, just as he and us from out on the West Coast tellhis men were settled down for rest. ing how welcome the Heralds are. The next thing the Captain knew, he He is a young sailor, and it is clear was in a hospital bandaged and he is home-sick. He wishes to know taped from feet to head. He still the address of attorney Bill Eyssen. wears a brace and support for his Just wants to see somebody from left leg.

S&S

15th AAF in ITALY .- Pfc. Glenoverseas in August 1943, and arriv- sion. in North Africa. Prior to entering the service on Oct. 21, 1942, at Lub-

S&S Tell The HERALD your news.

Lt. and Mrs. Ivan L. Howard arrenew his Herald. He says, "We are rived last Friday from Sedalia, Mo., still busy around here. I don't think for a stay of an indefinite time in the Command here at Rasdolph Field Hamlin. Mrs. Howard is the former has accepted the Jap terms yet, or Margaret Sellers. Lt. Howard is now so it seems. I don't have the faint- "Mr." as he got his discharge from S&S

Wilson Crow, Chief Commissary Steward, arrived home last Thursday from the Mediterranean Area The Herald has a Public Relations where he had served in the Navy been in some dangerous spots. His wife has been living in Portland, Ark., in his absence, but met him in New Orleans and accompanied him to Hamlin to enjoy a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Crow. He will report to Norfolk, Oct. 2.

> S&S SAN ANTONIO .- S/Sgt. Earl E. Smith of Hamlin who served 12 months in the European theater of operations as a Radio Operator has arrived at the San Antonio District,

> He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wood Smith and husband of Mrrs. Craigolene Smith, of Hamlin.

> Sgt. Smith was recently liberated from a Prisoner of War Camp in Germany. He will spend approximately two weeks at the redistribution station undergoing records and physical processing in preparation for a discharge or reassignment to duty in this country.

V. T. (Nig) Stringer, SK 3/c, and Mrs. Stringer of Sweetwater were week end guests of Mr. and S&S

Bill G. Jones, the youngest of Hamlin.

S&S

With the 33rd DIV. ON LUZON. don T. Hemphill, son of Mr. and -Staff Sgt. Donald R. Jones, son of Mrrs. T. N. Hemphill, Rt. 2, Ham- Mr. and Mrs. Milton Jones, Rt. 3, lin, Texas, has been assigned to the Hamlin, Texas, has been promoted Headquarters Squadron, 528th Air from corporal as a gunner in an Service Group, stationed near Fog- anti-tank squad of the 136th "Beargia, Italy. Pfc. Hemphill was sent Cat" Infantry Regiment, 33rd Divi-

Sgt. Jones has been overseas for more than two years and has fought bock, Texas, he was engaged in con-! through two campaigns in the Pacstruction work with Mackenzie Con- ific Area. He wears the Good Construction Co., San Antonio, Texas; duct medal, the Asiatic-Pacific Thehaving been previously graduated atre ribbon with two campaign stars, from Hamlin High School in 1941. | the Philippine Liberation ribbon with a campaign star for Luzon, and the Combat Infantryman Badge.



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mior Class Organizes

The Junior Class of Hamlin High heel had their first class meeting riday, Sept. 21.

The following officers were elect-: Bobby Crowley, president; Nor-Mrs. James E. Simmons, and punch. T. C. Blankinship.

the Junior Carnival.

orward to a very successful year. Mrs. Annie Wilkinson. -Reporter.

le at THE HERALD OFFICE. | time in our history.

Birthday Celebrated

Bennie Doris Wilkinson celebrated her eighth birthday with a party members of the Ruth Class met in Sept. 22.

Games were played and gifts Blanton, vice president; Jane were opened, after which the birth- the book "Home in India." Adams, secretary; and Joe Weir, re- day cake topped with eight lighted er. Sponsors are Mrs. Holly To- candles was cut and served with Spencer, Edward Gardner, Lesley

The class is going to sponsor a Virginia, Robbie and Kenneth Lov- Ray Johnson, Buck Scott, John Jenmmage Sale this Saturday, Sept. ey, Barbara and Norman Huddles- kins, B. J. Martin, H. V. Brown, for the purpose of raising funds ton, Peggy Helms, Jimmie Wilkin- E. J. Whaley, and a guest, Mrs. son, Quata Miller, Mrs. Mary Hud- John Howard, Jr. - Reporter. The class members are looking dleston, Mrs. Ben Wilkinson, and

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Covered Dish Supper

On Thursday evening, Sept. 20, at her home Saturday afternoon, the basement of the First Baptist Church for a Covered Dish Supper. Mrs. Herman Treadwell reviewed

Those attending were Mmes. A Shelburne, Cecil Brown, W. L. Boyd, Those present were Lusara Dean, Jr., F. S. Stovall, Jasper Herndon,

Conceit seems to be the only disease that makes everyone sick but

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The Plunkett Shows, largely what is termed a family show, has a good road record of long standing and formerly provided most of the vaudeville bill with the Harley Sadler troupe in 1942.



There are ten brothers and sisters n the family and most of them will be in the group to be seen here. The company consists of 20 persons and a complete change of program will be offered nightly.

The show will bring its own big ent and a large number of new and comfortable chairs have recently been added to the equipment. The tent will be spread on the vacant lots by the Highway in East Hamlin.

A copy of their ad in this newspaper entitles any lady a free pass when accompanied with one adult admission for their first night's performance.

Denman Morgan of Lubbock and Captain J. T. Dowling of the U. S. Army spent Tuesday night in Hamlin visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morgan. Capt. Dowling has recently returned from several months duty in Paris,

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out and says what he thinks, when Sue Bledsoe, reporter. he agrees with us.

Pledge Seven Girls

Sub-Debs Elect Officers

The Sub-Deb Club had a called mendation made by Congress, the meeting Tuesday, Sept. 11, at the Children's Bureau, U. S. Depart- high school, to elect officers for the ment of Labor, announced that wives school year of 1945-46. The new ofand babies of recently discharged ficers are: Anna Margaret McBride, service men, under certain condition, president; Jessie Myers, vice-presiare now eligible to receive medical dent; Diane Carlton, secretary; Dora and hospital care under the Emer- Joyce Culbertson, reporter; Sharlot gency Maternity and Infant Care Riddle, parliamentarian; Elizabeth Program. A service man's wife may Butcher, custodian of the scrap book and corresponding secretary.

A second meeting was held Sept.

Pledges who were elected are Lufifth, sixth or seventh pay grades of pe Cave, Jane Adams, Shirley Bagthe service or was an aviation ca- gett, Patsy Brasher, Ida Frances Rodet. The same holds true in case the bertson, Verlene Stewart, and Suzanne Toler .- Reporter.

Freshmen Elect Officers

The Freshman Class met Sept. 21 with their sponsors, Mrs. Hodges following officers: Seth Adams, president; C. L. White, vice president; We like any man who comes right | Keith Miles, secretary-treasurer; and

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T. A. HAVINS, Rt. 2, Hamlin. (p

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Ceiling prices are an old story to business-managed electric companies.

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tricity still lower. They've accomplished some pretty remarkable results

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ago. Perhaps you may not have noticed this reduction because you've

added more electric appliances and used more electricity all the time the

in the price of electricity in the face of rising costs for almost everything

else. Well, the answer is sound business methods-plus the practical ex-

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166 acres, highly improved, 163 And speaking of elevations, have you ever seen Santa Ann Mountain? 571/2 acres, well located, ever It was a landmark of early days. Really, it is two mountains, there 125 acres in black land, 106 cul- being a gap. Citizens explain that tivation. Price \$63.00 acre, good the town's original settler hauled in the dirt to build the mountain and 153 acres, 130 cultivation, im- he would have connected it up but

> These are from a new book, "Texas-Proud and Loud," by your columnist.

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Of a ranchman whose holdings spread over half a dozen counties, it was said, "He's no land hog; all the land he wants is just what joins his."

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Texas is so vast that, in early days when travel was primitive, there was one instance of a baby that was born in Texarkana and, by the time the covered wagon reached El Paso, he was rolling his own cigarettes.

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'Think on these things'

THE DAY OF DEATH

"A good name is better than precious oil; and the day of death, than the day of one's birth." (Eccles. 7:1)

This passage must be understood conditionally. It is true of the one who is a Christian, who "has a good name." "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from henceforth; yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors: for their works follow with them." (Rev. 14:13) When a child is born, we know that it is born to sorrow, suffering, and grief. When the Christian dies, we know that he is delivered from all suffering, pain, and sorrow. "And he shall wipe away every tear from their eyes; and death shall be no more; neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain, any more; the first things are passed away." (Rev. 21:4) This life has been truly called a "vale of tears," but the day of the Christian's death brings deliverance from this "vale of tears:" and in such a case, then, "the day of death (is better), than the day of one's birth." It means much to have the good name "Christian" in view of death. "But if any man suffer as a Christian, let him not be ashamed; but let him glorify God in this name." (I Pet. 4:

Peter speaks of "an inheritance incorruptible, and undefiled, and that fadeth not away, reserved in heaven for you." (I Pet. 1:4) This is the Christian's reward in heaven. The companionship of the heavenly Jerusalem is a blessed reward to the true Christian. This is a source of comfort to heal the mourning and wounded hearts in the passing of those who die in the Lord. Note the Lord says "That they may rest from their labors. It is a heavenly rest from their earthly sufferings, trials of temptations, and labors.

THE APPOINTMENT OF DEATH

"There is no man that hath power over the spirit to retain the spirit; neither hath he power over the day of death; and there is no discharge in war; neither shall wickedness deliver him that is given to it." (Eccles. 8:8) The final battle-"there is no discharge in war." Here we must all fall. Nothing can stay the final stroke. "And inasmuch as it is appointed unto men once to die, and after this cometh judgment." (Heb. 9:27)

> There is no flock, however watch'd and tended, But one dead lamb is there; There is no fireside, howso'er defended. But has one vacant chair.

Childhood. "But now he is dead, wherefore should I fast? Can I bring him back again? I shall go to him, but he will not return to me." (II Sam. 12:23) Death takes away the little child in the tender freshness of early dawn. We have every assurance that when the little child passes on to eternity it is safe. Death removes the child from troubles, temptations, disease, and poverty here. "I shall go to him, but he will not return to me." This is comfort to the sad hearts and desolate homes in the passing of little children.

Youth.. "And when he was entered in, he saith unto them, Why make ye a tumult, and weep? the child is not dead, but sleepeth." (Mark 5:39) Death has its types in the fading flower, in withering grass, and in the sun going down while it is yet day. "Her sun is gone down while it was yet day." (Jer. 15:9) The importance of the following Exhortation: "Remember also thy Creator in the days of thy youth, before the evil days come, and the years draw nigh, when thou shalt say, I have no pleasure in them." (Eccles. 12:1) Paul to Timothy: "Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example to them that believe, in word, in manner of life in love, in faith, in purity." (I Tim. 4:12)

> For soon the spring of youth is past, Our manhood's summer sheds its bloom; Then age, like autumn's chilling blast, Brings on the winter of the tomb.

Old Age. "Thou shalt come to thy grave in a full age, like as a shock of grain cometh in its season." (Job 5:26) This is a beautiful comparison of death for the aged Christian. Of Abraham's death it is written: "And Abraham gave up the ghost, and died in a good old age, an old man, and full of years, and was gathered to his people." (Gen. 25:8)

> Our birth is nothing but our death begun, And cradles rock us nearer to the tomb.

PREPARATION FOR DEATH

When the children of Israel started over Jordan, Joshua commanded them to prepare. He said, "Prepare you victuals; for within three days ye are to pass over this Jordan." (Josh. 1:10-11) Death is sure to come-"ye shall pass over this Jordan." It means much to be prepared when the summons comes. "Well done, good and faithful servant: thou has been faithful over a few things, I will set thee over many things; enter thou into the joy of thy Lord." (Matt. 25:21)

Lord." (Matt. 25:21) "So teach us to number our days, that we may get us a heart of wisdom." (Ps. 90:12) "Who can count the dust of Jacob, or number the fourth part of Israel? Let me die the death of the righteous, and let my last end be like his!" (Num. 23:10) This is the language of Ballam as he desired to die the death of the righteous. The righteous come to a good death. "Precious in the sight of Jehovah is the death of his saints." (Ps.

Friend, what preparation have you made? The church exists for the express purpose of helping you prepare in this life to enjoy everlasting life after death. We beseech you to take advantage of your opportunities. Beginning October 5th, we begin a special effort along this line in the form of a Gospel Meeting. This is your invitation to attend every service.

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> Coke Stevenson, Governor of Texas.

Recently Mrs. Clara B. Long, who has served Jones County as Home fore she became HD Agent in Erath WHEREAS, there still remains Demonstration Agent for a number

On Sept. 18, the Commissioners' armed forces returned to his home; Court appointed Miss Hannah Na- jor surgery in the Hendrick Memori-WHEREAS, Texans, through the Nabors, at present, is County Home United War Chest of Texas and af- Demonstration Agent for Erath filiatd organizations, have been a- County, where she has served the

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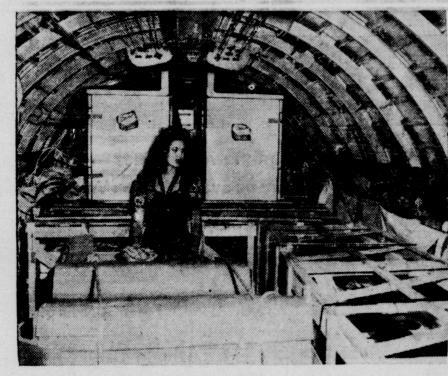
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FLYING GAS RANGES ARE THE LATEST NEWS .- Above is a consignment of Universal gas ranges as they were packed snugly into an American Airlines cargo plane for a flying trip from Chicago to Los Angeles. The history-making flight occurred recently when Cribben & Sexton Company at Chicago loaded 18,500 pounds of Universal gas ranges into the Consolidated Vultee which made the trip. More than half the shipment of ranges wast left uncrated to establish proof of savings in time by this method of transportation. The flight was considered a significant beginning of fulfillment of postwar merchan-

Atom Energy and Future Power

energy for household and industrial uses gives rise to the question as to whether such energy could displace present sources of power and energy such as gas and electricity. Thomas S. Bacon, research engineer for Lone Star Gas Company, states that the new development lends emphasis to the importance of exportation of natural gas from Texas in order that its benefits may be derived while a market still exists.

"The atomic bombing of Hiroshima meant the solving of the primary problem of the use of atomic energy," Mr. Bacon said. "The secondary problem, the peace time use of atomic energy, remains unsolved. The energy is certainly there, but ways of economically releasing it are not presently known. When and if these ways become known, the gas, petroleum and electric industries may become out of date.

"Our natural resources must be used wisely at all times as they must last until the physicist proves his dreams of atomic energy release is not simply a dream, but can be economically beneficial. And on the same count, exportation of natural resources from Texas should not be wasteful in the expectation that atomic energy will economically replace the chemical energy of natural

gas in the near future. Such exportation is, of course, entirely justified by present conditions. It may be emphasized, however, that probable developments in the use of atomic energy in the future would lend emphasis to the importance of exportation of natural gas from Texas now, so that income may be derived therefrom while a market for the commodity exists."

In explaining the theory of the atomic bomb, Mr. Bacon pointed out there is an analogy that may be drawn between it and the natural gas business that might be helpful in obtaining some conception of the significance of the

atomic bomb in physical terms. "Consider the pilot flame on the modern cook stove which employs a very small amount of natural gas," he said. "The flame involved is so insignificant as to escape notice; yet if one holds his hand a few inches above the flame me heat can be felt. So the

Probable development of atomic flame is a very small thing yet it

evolves energy continuously.
"Radium is a close relative of uranium, and uranium, or a special isotype of uranium, has been mentioned as the principal active constituent of the atomic bomb. Very minute quantities of radium will evolve appreciable amounts

of energy.
"This energy is atomic energy as defined by the physicist and is substantially identical with the energy released in the atomic bombs. The rate of evolution of energy from radium is not controlled by man but is controlled by the inherent properties of the radium metal itself. However, man has been able to measure it and also to measure its rate of decline.

"The Physicist has estimated that a given piece of radium will lose just one-half of the energy that it now contains in 1,690 years. In other words, the rate of energy decline of the given piece

of radium is extremely slow. "The gas flame mentioned above releases a small amount of energy continuously, as does radium. Assume now that we had the gas pilot 1,600 years ago and connected the pilot to a storage tank in which we would store the amount of gas that would pass through the pilot in that period of time. If now we take this tank containing unburned natural gas that has been passed through the small pilot during 1,600 years and mix it with the proper proportion of air and pass a spark through the mixture, a very impressive explosion would result. The impressiveness of the explosion may be gauged by the fact that calculations show that 7,000,000 cubic feet of gas would have passed through the tiny gas pilot during the 1,600-year period.
"The atomic bomb represents

the similar explosion that is the liberation instantaneously of energy stored in the radio active element, uranium. As mentioned, the normal liberation of this energy is low but the physicists have discovered how to release it at their will and in a brief period. This, then, is the significance of the atomic bomb. It demonstrates that man has finally learned how to control at least one form of radio active energy on a significant

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Since so much of the health and comfort of the family depend on the heat of the home, the type of heating and how it is installed should be one of the most important considerations in the building of a new home or modernizing the present one. The time to attend to the selection and installation of gas appliances is during the planning stage. For only with proper equipment correctly lo-cated and installed will you enjoy the many conveniences and benefits of using America's sought-after fuel-Natural Gas.

In building a new home or in remodeling an old one, Lone Star Gas Company urges that necessary flues for venting gas heating equipment be installed. Vented heating is heating by means of appliances which are connected to a flue. The purpose of connecting an appliance to a flue is to carry to the outside air the products of combustion resulting from burning fuel, thus preventing release of these products into the room.

Gas Industry Plan Includes Millions For Big Expansion

The natural gas industry is returning to peace-time operations in an excellent position to expand its service to the public and to other industries, according to R. H. Hargrove, chairman of the natural gas department, American Association. Mr. Hargrove said that natural gas companies carried a tremendous responsibility during the war. The natural gas industry in the Southwest made it possible to operate hundreds of war-time industries, flying fields, and Army camps, while delivering record quantities of gas

for homes and commercial users. The industry has filed projects or has recently received approval of the Federal Power Commission for construction of nearly 5,000 miles of additional gas pipe lines throughout the country. Mr. Hargrove said that the industry expected to spend more than \$160,-000,000 for plant expansion, maintenance, and inventories and supplies in the next 12 months, greatly aiding in the employment problem.

Safety Awards

Dallas Division of Distribution and Lone Star Gas Pipe Line Operating Department have each been awarded first place in their classifications in the Texas Safety Association's annual Safety Contest for 1944.

The contest is conducted by the Industrial Section of the Safety Association and is based on the lowest accident frequency submitted by contesting companies. Both Dallas Division of Distribution and the Pipe Line Department are in the 1,000,000 employe hours classification

Bombs for Gas Wells

Not all bombs are destructive ones. The type used by the Lone Star Production Department, for example, are extremely valuable in determining the future natural gas reserves of the company.

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HEATING SHOULD BE School Opening Finds Glamorous Gas Comforts Beckoning Youth

Students returning to school from their summer vacations in the first peace-time year since the fall of 1941, may well be thankful for the kind of a country they live in. It is truly a land of superlative values, both spiritual and

Yet many of these important values will go unappreciated unless it is thoroughly understood that back of all accomplishment is toil and struggle.

The modern material conveniences which the young people of this generation find so ready at hand did not come into being just by waving a magic wand. Back of them are long years of toil and the investment of huge sums of

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The new silent gas refrigerator will be roomier than ever, de-

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fresh longer. Cleaning up will be easier. The economical new gas hot water system will keep oceans of hot water always on tap for dishes, laundry, baths.

These new kitchens will be free from unwanted heat, dirt, and even offending cooking odors.

Cabinets and everything will be scientifically placed to save time and work. They will be free from little open spaces that catch and

hold dust and crumbs. And then there is that marvelous year-round gas air-conditioning system. This is perhaps the most exciting news of all. The modern housewife on a hot day will be able to start a flood of cool mountain air circulating throughout the house with just a flick of the finger. But summer comfort is just half the story. The versatile blue gas flame leads a "double life." The one simple unit that cools hot air and removes sticky humidity in the summer, also warms and humidifies cool air in winter. Between seasons, when a moderate temperature is all that is needed, the gas conditioner gently circulates clean, filtered

No doubt about it! Gas is opening up a whole new world of comfort and convenience. This truly is the magic generation.

Kitchen Dimensions Fit Average Stature

Kitchens, like clothes, are now of the women who will use them. As the result of a nation-wide program of the gas industry, the New Freedom Gas Kitchen will be built throughout to standardized measurements for the woman of "average stature" and will include adjustments which will lower working surfaces for the women of "less than average"

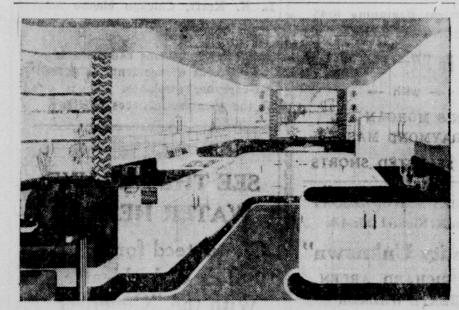
The standardized dimensions of citchen equipment will help to eliminate bewildering aspects of kitchen planning and to provide greater ease in selecting coordinated kitchen units. They will also allow the plan of adding a piece of equipment now and then over a period of several years without sacrificing unity of de-

Gas Refrigerator Uses Small Amount of Fuel

The gas refrigerator takes only being designed to fit the stature a small amount of bargain-priced Lone Star gas to run.

This marvelous refrigerator has no machinery to wear out and need replacing, therefore it has very long life. Since there is no starting or stopping of the cooling cycle the refrigerator gives constant cold. With no machinery to vibrate and make noise, it is always silent.

In this automatic refrigerator, it is the magic flame that makes the difference. The refrigerator is basically different from all other automatic refrigerators because a tiny gas flame does the work. War-time proved the value of the silent trouble-free performance of the gas refrigerator. With repairmen hard to obtain, owners of these magic boxes were happy that they chose a gas refrigerator.



This is a view of one of the New Freedom gas kitchens which will soon be available to users of natural gas service in the Southwest. Simple beauty combined with scientific arrangement and spacing of cabinets around the silent gas refrigerator and CP gas range form a kitchen compact and efficient. It is one of the many new designs resulting from months of research and planning by the gas industry in cooperation with appliance and cabinet manufacturers, and home economists. It is an easier-to-work-in kitchen where cooking odors, heat and greasy vapors are removed before they can circulate into the room. Plan and save for your New Freedom Gas Kitchen.

POT-SHOTS FROM MCCAULLEY

BY GEO DARDEN

daughter of Fort Worth visited last week end with parents in McCaulley. James Fancher, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fancher, arrived from California this feek for a visit with parents. James is serving his elev-

enth year in the United States Navy. Visiting parents last Sunday in Girard were the Geo. Dardens and Mrs. W. H. Pickron, Jr.

Cotton had begun to roll into town last week, and then the rain you a Post Office or a mail route job on Monday of this week slowed but he would have little effect on son, Mike, visited in the J. A. Ed- is staying with her daughter, Mrs. in Hamlin. (Clip this out and then sympathy at her passing. down everything.

Rotan visited last week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Wish-

Visiting over the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Webb was Mrs. Webb's brother, Cpl. Jeff T. Jones, who has recently returned from 31 months overseas duty. Cpl. Jones expects a discharge before Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Darden and daughter of Girard visited Sunday might in the home of brother, Geo. Darden and family.

Raymond (Foot) Kemp, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kemp, is seriously ill in a Sweetwater hospital suffering from a rattle-snake bite. He was bitten last Friday near Sylvester where he was working with some feed in a barn.

Celebrated Sixth Birthday

his sixth birthday Saturday after- hind the machines are the undernoon. After several games were paid employees. Capital must learn played, a package of candy was giv- that the worker who produces is the en to each child. Many nice and fellow that gets the job done, and useful gifts were presented to Ger- capital will finally learn that the ald. The candles were lighted and profits made in industry must be blown out, after which every one shared with the men and women who sang "Happy Birthday to You." Re- do the labor. Blue bloods and royalfreshments consisting of ice cream ty are speeding to a final chapter cones and cake were served to Patri- and may even end in this generacia Rector, Mary Lou Maberry, Jim- tion. mie Darden, Jean Kean, Sarah If you remember on last election Jackie Perryman, Betsy Ann Ma- down and study the thing out withberry, Smitty Dan Maberry, Eugene out being the least bit jealous, two-Forbs, William Forbs, Jr., Carol faced, or narrow minded. Well, any-Hennington, David Hennington, Bil- way we won't know the difference a lie Jo Forbs, Arlene Forbs, Joy Fran- hundred years from now. ces Lawlis, Pama Jean Lawlis, Clifford Webb, Gerald Webb, Mrs. Sally

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Darden Dashes-

Why will folks swamp Congress fine now. with letters trying to get their sollier boy out of the Army is beyond us. Your Representative might get Swindall home. the Military set-up in getting your wards' home this past week. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hopkins of Johnnie home. The Military is still running the army show, while Congress endeavors to get their salary raised with your dough.

Comment No. 1-

Five hundred disputes between laor and capital caused one hundred women to walk off their jobs the friends. past ten days in the Unitel-States.

We wouldn't be surprised if labor did not have something when they made the statement that one man, in many instances, got more dough for one day's work than the man days. who worked on the production lines made in one whole year. Meaning of course some of the big shots in in-

There is no man living who draws a salary of one hundrel thousand per year or more who earns such an out-rageous sum. Nine times out of Mrs. Wayne Webb honored her ten the brains behind large corporson, Gerald Wayne, with a party on ations and the man who stays be-

Kean, Linda Reynolds, Barbara Wal- year, many candidates hollered their drop, Dorthy Herbst, Ida Carter, heads off about some other candi-Glaudie Carpenter, Darlene Carpen- date being sponsored by the C.I.O. ter, Kay Carpenter, Freddie Rogers, political action committee. Watch Beverley Rogers, Ralph Rogers, Lar- those same candidates pretty soon Graham, Eugene Steel, Randall seek the labor viote. It's a funny Dick Parker, Wayne McCasland, world, neighbor. if you get right

-A-DARDEN-O-GRAM.

Clyde Benham Sells His Dairy; Moves To Eastland This Week

Since the fall of 1928, Clyde Benham has gone through all kinds of "Dairy Weather" - expanding and serving an ever wider circle of customer's, smiling and jolly. But this week he and his family moved to Eastland. He and his son, Gailord, have purchased a dairy plant and they will equip it and start off again. Gailord has been his mainstay in Hamlin, all along. Mrs. Gailord Benham has been employed at Reynolds

R. O. Long of Abilene has bought the Hamlin dairy and equipment of Mr. Benham and is now here making himself at home and getting ac-

Mr. and Mrs. Benham have one son in service, Ellis Benham, RM 3/c, who is perhaps now on Guam.

-0-0-Mrs. Dan Stephens has as guests in her home this week end C. H. Ellis of Pampa; Mrs. Mattie Ann Colborn, Amarillo; and Mrs. J. H.

Gruben, Rotan. A Bible valued at \$10,000 was presented to Baylor University by L. K. Kraft, Chicago cheese mag-

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SYLVESTER NEWS ITEMS

By Merrena Vaughan

We were sorry to learn of the gil Steele, Mrs. Oral Carpenter, Mrs. sudden death of H. C. Duff in Abi-Roscoe Perryman, Mrs. Bonnie Mc- lene. The Duff's lived a number of Casland, Mrs. George Maberry, Miss years in Sylvester and were well week.

in the Callan hospital but is doing past week.

O. W. Swindall' mother of Gran- the week end at home. bury is spending a few days in the

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Leveritt and

R. P. Kemp is slowly improving and is under treatment in the Sweetwater hospital for rattle-snake bite. home from the ETO after spending

more than two years there. Sgt. Mack Blair of Goodfellow and twenty thousand union men and Field spent the week end visiting

> Sunday night with his sister, Mrs. Raymond Griffin.

Jack Pursley's two son of Fort Worth are here visiting for a few

Pfc. Clayton Eoff, son of Mr. and

5999999999 H. O. CASSLE

Real Estate, Loans and Rentals. Office Over Bank -HAMLIN, TEXAS Mrs. Fred Eoff, and Miss Geraldine Raney, daughter of Mrs. R. N. Raney of Midland, were married on Sept. 18 at 7:00 P. M. Pfc. Eoff will return to camp about Oct. 12. He served several months in the European battle zone.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Smith of California visited relatives here this

Mrs. J. V. Baird of Mt. Calm and Miss Jennie Carothers of Cisco vis-Patsy Josey spent several hours ited in the G. S. Barnes' home the

Eddy Shipman of Abilene spent

Sgt. and Mrs. Gerald Head are visiting in the C. M. McCain home. Stone who has been quite ill. -0-0-

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> Miss Frances Nichols who is a student nurse at the Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene came over Tuesday afternoon to visit a state. few hours with old friends. She was accompanied by Miss Nathelee Holmes of Eliasville, also a student young man, struggling to keep

Card of Thanks

We wish to express to the Hamli people our appreciation and thank iner-Patrolman Sanford Lee, who for the many acts of kindness shows our dear Mother during her failing

> The Family of Mrs. S. K. Dillard -0-0-

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